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| 3. [|] | This is an express request to begin na items (5), (6), (9) and (21) indicated | ational examination procedures (35 U.S.C. below. | 371(f)). The submission must include |
| 4. [|] | The US has been elected (Article 31). | | |
| 5. [|] | A copy of the International Application | on as filed (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(2)). | |
| | | a. is attached hereto (required o | nly if not communicated by the Internation | nal Bureau). |
| | | b. has been communicated by the | ne International Bureau. | |
| | | c. is not required, as the applica | tion was filed in the United States Receivi | ng Office (RO/US). |
| 6. | 1 | | e International Application as filed (35 U.S | |
| | _ | a. is attached hereto. | •• | |
| | | b. has been previously submitte | d under 35 U.S.C. 154(d)(4). | |
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| 8. [| 7 | _ | e amendments to the claims under PCT Ar | ticle 19 (35 U.S.C. 371(c)(3)). |
| 9. [2 | _ | An oath or declaration of the inventor | | |
| 10. [|] | | e annexes to the International Preliminary | Examination Report under PCT |
| Items | 11 | to 20 below concern document(s) or | r information included: | |
| 11. [|] | An Information Disclosure Statement | under 37 CFR 1.97 and 1.98. | |
| 12. [|] | An assignment document for recordin | g. A separate cover sheet in compliance w | vith 37 CFR 3.28 and 3.31 is included. |
| 13. [|] | A preliminary amendment. | | |
| 14. [|] | An Application Data Sheet under 37 (| CFR 1.76 | |
| 15. [|] | A substitute specification. | | |
| 16. | ₫. | A power of attorney and/or change of | address letter. | |
| 17. 2 | ₫. | A computer-readable form of the sequ | ence listing in accordance with PCT Rule | 13ter.2 and 37 CFR 1.821 – 1.825. |
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| b. Please charge my Deposit Account No. 19-1090 in the amount of \$ to cover the above fees. A duplicate copy of this sheet is enclosed. | | | | | | | |
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NOTIFICATION OF MISSING REQUIREMENTS UNDER 35 U.S.C. 371 IN THE UNITED STATES DESIGNATED/ELECTED OFFICE (DO/EO/US)

The following items have been submitted by the applicant or the IB to the United States Patent and Trademark Office as a Designated / Elected Office (37 CFR 1.495).

- Copy of the International Application filed on 12/03/2004
- Copy of the International Search Report filed on 12/03/2004
- Copy of IPE Report filed on 12/03/2004
- Copy of Annexes to the IPER filed on 12/03/2004
- U.S. Basic National Fees filed on 12/03/2004

The following items MUST be furnished within the period set forth below in order to complete the requirements for acceptance under 35 U.S.C. 371:

- o Oath or declaration of the inventors, in compliance with 37 CFR 1.497(a) and (b), identifying the application by the International application number and international filing date.
- This application clearly fails to comply with the requirements of 37 CFR. 1.821-1.825. Applicant's attention is directed to the final rulemaking notice published at 55 FR 18230 (May 1, 1990), and 1114 OG 29 (May 15, 1990). If the effective filing date is on or after July 1, 1998, see the final rulemaking notice published at 63 FR 29620 (June 1, 1998) and 1211 OG 82 (June 23, 1998). If the effective filing date is on or after September 8, 2000, see the final rulemaking notice published in the Federal Register at 65 FR 54604 (September 8, 2000) and 1238 OG 145 (September 19, 2000). Applicant must provide an initial computer readable form (CRF) copy of the "Sequence Listing", an initial paper or compact disc copy of the "Sequence Listing", as well as an amendment directing its entry into the application. Applicant must also provide a statement that the content of the sequence listing information recorded in computer readable form is identical to the written (on paper or compact disc) sequence listing and, where applicable, includes no new matter, as required by 37 CFR 1.821(e), 1.821(f), 1.821(g), 1.825(b), or 1.825(d). If applicant desires the sequence listing in the instant application to be identical with that of another application on file in the U.S. Patent and Trademark Office, such request in accordance with 37 CFR 1.821(e) may be submitted in lieu of a new CRF.
- A copy of the "Sequence Listing" in computer readable form has not been submitted as required by 37

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Additionally the following defects have been observed:

 Annexes have not been entered because the changes should be made on the same page and in numerical order.

ALL OF THE ITEMS SET FORTH ABOVE MUST BE SUBMITTED <u>WITHIN TWO (2) MONTHS</u> FROM THE DATE OF THIS NOTICE OR BY 32 MONTHS FROM THE PRIORITY DATE FOR THE APPLICATION, WHICHEVER IS LATER. FAILURE TO PROPERLY RESPOND WILL RESULT IN ABANDONMENT.

The time period set above may be extended by filing a petition and fee for extension of time under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a).

For questions regarding compliance to 37 CFR 1.821-1.825 requirements, please contact:

- For Rules Interpretation, call (571) 272-0951
- For Patentin Software Program Help, call Patent EBC at 1-866-217-9197 or directly at 703-305-3028 / 703-308-6845 between the hours of 6 a.m. and 12 midnight, Monday through Friday, EST.
- o Send e-mail correspondence for Patentin Software Program Help @ ebc@uspto.gov

Applicant is reminded that any communications to the United States Patent and Trademark Office must be mailed to the address given in the heading and include the U.S. application no. shown above (37 CFR 1.5)

A copy of this notice **MUST** be returned with the response.

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